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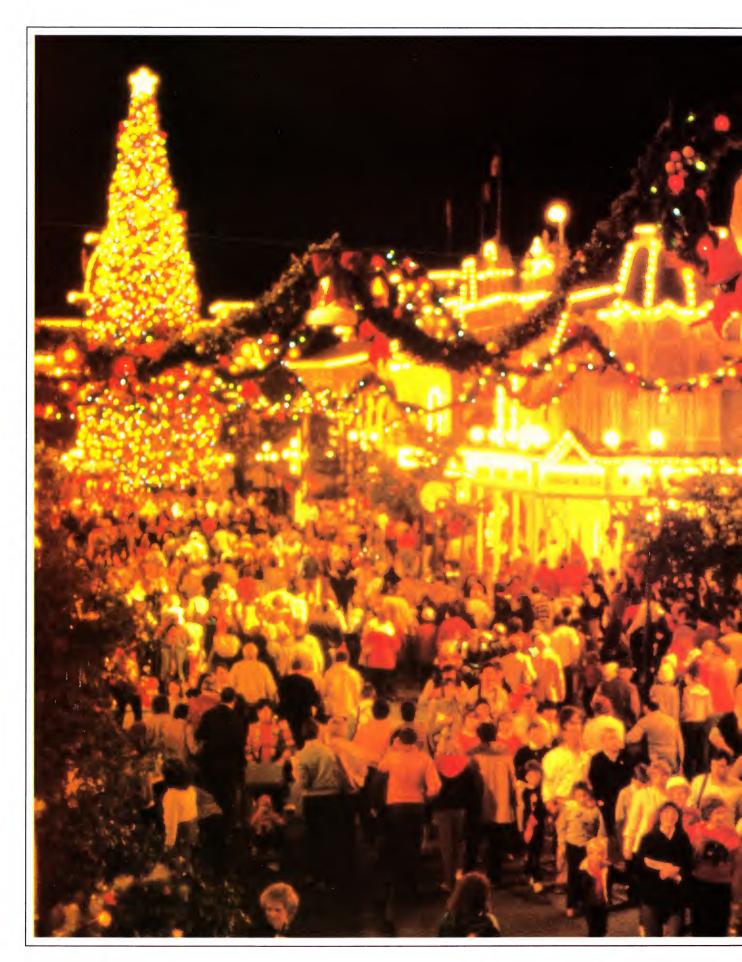
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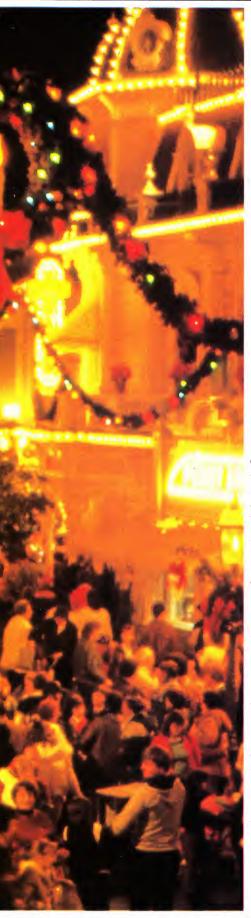
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The Magic Kingdom Rekindles The Spirit of Christmas

A galaxy of twinkling lights illuminating a majestic decorated fir tree transforms Disneyland into the most wondrous place on earth at Christmastime.

hristmas always brings memories of home," explains Dave Herbst, a Walt Disney World staff member. "You think back to all those special times when the ones you loved the most were gathered round. Well, if you can't spend Christmas at home with those special people, then the Magic Kingdom is the next best place to be in the whole world. It *is* like Christmas at home."

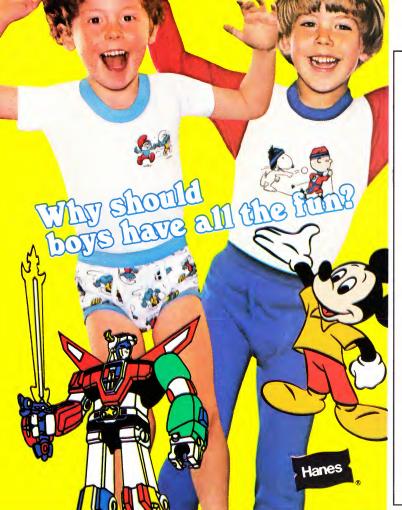
The Holiday Season—winter's time of cheer. It's the most enchanting season of the year in the Magic Kingdoms of Disneyland, Walt Disney World, and Tokyo Disneyland. It's a time of sparkling magic filled with visions of sugarplums dancing, boughs of holly, and the sounds of caroling.

This month you can remain at home and still partake of the festivity that marks a Disney Christmas. "A Magic Kingdom Yuletide Special" (see page 15) is a Disney Channel exclusive that celebrates the season with song, dance, and laughter. But in the Magic Kingdoms themselves, the Holiday's most beguiling moment arrives when Christmas bunting, a towering Christmas tree, ornaments and decorations appear on Thanksgiving Day, the result of two nights of frantic decorating that takes place while the parks are closed.

"It is a magic moment, even for us employees," a Disneyland worker explains. "The Christmas decorations go up when you're not there. You come to work and you're suddenly enveloped by the Christmas spirit.

"It's like going to sleep and waking up on Christmas morning.

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"It's a fierce competition," a weary candidate explains. "Everyone wants to be in this parade. Just to be a snowman or a toy soldier would be an honor!"

The awe and mystery that inspire the two performances each season of the Candlelight Procession invoke a special magic. Selected choirs spend the fall season practicing their music; a day's rehearsal is required to bring them all together in one voice. They're joined by a celebrity guest who narrates the story of the first Noel. In past years that part's been played by legends like John Wayne, Henry Fonda, James Stewart and Cary Grant.

The night of each performance the singers, 1,000 strong and bearing candles, proceed down Main Street to Town Square. On risers set in the shape of a Christmas tree, they fill the night with song.

But December's a tricky month for weather—one year the

"It's like going to sleep and morning. The tree's been the gifts beneath its is flooded with decorations,

choir was hit by rain. "It's a show business cliche, I know, but the show must go on," said one observer. "We stood in the rain under umbrellas as the instruments were drenched — but the choir never stopped singing "'O Little Town of Bethlehem."

For the young at heart, the Holidays are a time of laughter and excitement. Last year, showing their dedication to celebrating the season, the Disney Audio-Animatronics Imagineers painstakingly reprogrammed Country Bear Jamboree to create a "Country Bear Christmas." Again this year Grizzly Hall will resound with melody as the bears don their gay apparel.

The tree's been trimmed; Santa has spread the gifts beneath its branches. And the park is flooded with decorations, music fills the air everywhere. It's impossible not to be in the Christmas spirit."

A sudden miracle, but not an easy one! The Christmas Tree gracing Disneyland's Town Square takes weeks alone to prepare. First the branches of the 60-foot Douglas fir are carefully shorn. Then the branches are fitted into holes drilled in the tree trunk to create a perfectly spaced array of evergreen. Next comes the flocking, and finally maintenance and decorating crews move the massive fir into place in the square.

A cherry picker crane helps drape the boughs with 3,000 sparkling lights and over 2,000 ornaments. The ornaments are specially selected, decreasing in size the higher their place on the tree. The result: a Yuletide beacon that stretches up into the sky.

But there are three other trees to trim as well, and Main Street must be strung with holly. Windows and shops and halls have to be decked with wreaths. The Emporium receives its Christmas scene (always dedicated to an animated classic, this year the windows display the doggy misadventures of "101 Dalmatians"). The entire Kingdom must be remade in a few short hours; the decorating crews hustle like Santa's helpers.

Transformed, Main Street is a special arena—the site of Fantasy on Parade. Filled with toy soldiers, snowmen, reindeer pulling Santa's sleigh, the procession requires 300 in its cast. Each autumn, college and high school students take part in grueling auditions, hoping to land a spot in Mickey's march.

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While you revel in "A Magic Kingdom Yuletide Special," visitors to the enchanted land will discover that months of preparation result in onstage entertainment that comes wrapped in a pretty package, too. At Disneyland, "The Magic of Christmas" stars Mickey, Minnie, Goofy and specially featured singers and dancers from "Disneyland Is Your Land." At Walt Disney World, it's "A Sparkling Christmas Spectacular" that holds center stage in the forecourt of Cinderella Castle.

But consider the Herculean labor that goes into creating a spectacle that sparkles. With a cast of over 300, long rehearsals

waking up on Christmas trimmed; Santa has spread branches. And the park music fills the air everywhere."

are required to create a polished ensemble. A full orchestra must be brought to perfect pitch. And then there is the titanic task of coordinating all the logistics, or what Barnette Ricci, the senior director, writer and choreographer describes as "costume changes, costume

changes and more costume changes!"

That covers the human element. But as for magic, that's something else entirely! For as the orchestra sounds the notes of the grand finale, hundreds of strobe lights and laser beams blaze into life, bathing the walls and turrets of Cinderella Castle in a rainbow of color.

EPCOT Center is also the eye of quickened activity this December. Like the Magic Kingdoms, EPCOT is graced by a gargantuan tree to mark the Yuletide, while at World Showcase, WorldFest honors and celebrates the customs of other nations.





This month the focus is on the United Kingdom and the London of Queen Victoria. The Street Theatre players don the garb of Charles Dickens characters to delight visitors with scenes from "A Christmas Carol."

It may seem strange to some to think of Christmas by Tokyo Bay. But Santa Claus and holiday cheer speak a universal language, and the Magic Kingdom is its most fluent speaker. Indeed, visitors to Tokyo Disneyland may find one-special touch lacking in the other parks—snow. That fleecy white stuff you see Mickey and Minnie standing in may be the real thing, turning the enchanted Kingdom into a true winter wonderland.

The Magic Kingdom always stands ready to celebrate with a special New Year's Eve party that takes place after the parks' regular hours. A special ticket event, it features celebrity entertainment, song and dance. As the clock strikes twelve and the old year is rung out and the new year rung in, fireworks explode to illuminate the sky.

Christmas time in the Magic Kingdom. A special time in an enchanted place. One Disney Channel worker has special memories of spending the Holidays there.

"When I was a child growing up in Southern California," she recalls, "my parents always took me to Disneyland on Christmas Day. What wonderful memories! And when I got the opportunity to work at Disneyland—well, I felt as if somehow I was making a return engagement for all those happy times."

Christmas is a magic season when Jack Frost is nipping at your nose, the air is filled with the sound of sleigh bells, and families unite in good cheer. In the Magic Kingdom, all those glittering memories of Christmases past are preserved. And priceless memories are made for all the future Christmases to come.

Enchanted Stusical Playhouse







A Time To Believe in Make-Believe

Pavorite books become a part of us, so that years later we still remember moments when we were transported into a world far away from our everyday lives. We want to share with our own children those stories and illustrations that fired our imaginations, freed our spirit, and sometimes taught us lessons. In the telling, we recapture the wonder we never really lost.

The Disney Channel's brand-new "Enchanted Musical Playhouse" draws on this rich reservoir of fantasy. Such all-time favorite stories as "The Velveteen Rabbit," "The Steadfast Tin

Soldier," and "Ferdinand the Bull" take on a new life for television, sparkling with the addition of lyrical tunes, guest stars, and special effects.

The adaptation of these beloved stories for "Enchanted Musical Playhouse" was the dream of a man whose childhood was filled with magic, and he never lost touch with it. "I grew up as a Disney child," says Jeff Sherman, whose father and uncle are the Sherman brothers, writers of more than 40 musical scores for Disney, including the Oscar-winning score for "Mary Poppins."

"Enchanted Musical Playhouse" is a project that Jeff Sherman, 27, a screenwriter and producer, had been thinking about for years. He says, "I have done a lot of screenplays but I wanted to do something for my heart.

"One day I was talking with Dad and



A small boy and his toy rabbit become inseparable companions

we began brainstorming, thinking of all the children's stories we could do. My parents had read 'The Steadfast Tin Soldier' to me when I was little. I didn't read 'The Velveteen Rabbit' until I was 15, and I cried when I read it."

When Jeff decided to go ahead with the project, his father (Robert B. Sherman) and his uncle (Richard M. Sherman) agreed to do the music. For Jeff it was a dream come true, to bring his favorite stories to life, and to do it with his father and uncle.

Then when their executive producer Jim Rich introduced the Shermans to the Osmonds, family involvement doubled. Jimmy Osmond was eager to work on the project, and the Osmond studios in Orem, Utah, had everything that was needed for production of the shows. The first was "The Velveteen Rabbit"—about a little boy's stuffed rabbit, living

with the other toys in the nursery, who wanted to become real.

Marie Osmond plays the title role (and a magic fairy as well). "Marie loved the music, even listening to the Sherman brothers' bad voices on tape," says Rich.

Marie describes her decision to be involved this way: "When I first talked with Jimmy about the show, I wasn't sure I wanted to appear in a rabbit suit. I went home and read the book to my child, Stephen, and he loved it, and that cemented it. That and the Shermans' music. Anything the Shermans do, I love."

The two families gathered in Utah and worked 14-hour days. "A lot of hard work," Jeff admits, "but it was the only time since film school I've felt that kind of energy. We all loved the project, and we were working with our families.

"There was friendly competition," he recalls. "Who could get more names on the credits, the Shermans or the Osmonds. I even got my wife into it, playing the ballerina on a bookshelf in the nursery."

Both Jeff Sherman and Jimmy Osmond agree that it was a difficult production—turning Marie into a two-foot rabbit, for example, and then having her become "real" as the story progresses. "But we did it all ourselves," Jimmy says. "It was a labor of love."

Jeff sums up his feelings: "For me, it was a chance to re-create a little of the magic I grew up with."

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Bygone America lives on Disney's Golden Oak movie ranch



This covered bridge has been seen in dozens of film and TV productions

🚺 hen the Apple Dumpling Gang hits open country on the Channel this month, they're crossing 🗎 Disney's Golden Oak Ranch, the last big movie ranch in California.

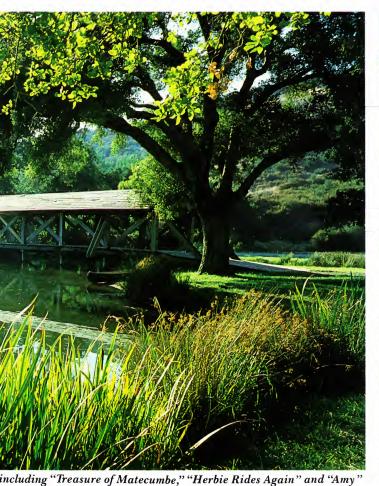
This 708-acre spread in Placerita Canyon, located 25 freeway miles north of the Disney Studio in Burbank, is a happy hunting ground for filmmakers. There they can find whatever may be needed for scenic outdoor settings, from unspoiled vistas of rolling hills and lush green meadows to camp towns and plantations. Since Walt bought the ranch in 1959, it has been used in hundreds of movie and TV productions.

During the 1950s, as Walt stepped up his television filming, he became aware that nearby location sites like Lake Sherwood and the 26,000-acre Conejo Ranch were gradually being subdivided. Walt had used the Golden Oak for scenes in his "Spin and Marty" series on "The Mickey Mouse Club," and realizing that convenient movie ranches would soon cease to exist, he made arrangements to buy it. The first filming at the ranch after its purchase was for "Toby Tyler," an outdoor circus adventure airing on The Disney Channel next month.

Along with some handsome scenery,

Walt also bought a piece of California history. In the 1700s, the property was called San Francisquito Ranch, a part of the Mission of San Fernando. Over the years it was leased to local ranchers, and in 1842 one resident tenant, Don Francisco Lopez, made an exciting discovery. While gathering some wild onions under an oak tree, he found a few gold nuggets nestling among the roots. This discovery was enough to set off California's first gold rush, seven years before James Marshall's famous strike at Sutter's Mill near Sacramento. For two years, miners, prospectors, Chinese laborers, and even outlaws

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Vintage barns and open country provide scenic rural settings

EN OAK RANCH HOLLYWOOD FILMMAKERS

flocked to Placerita Canyon. Then the gold ran out, and the canyon returned to its placid state for over a century before it became home for a new crowd—actors, directors, cameramen, and all the rest of the skilled craftsmen and technicians needed to film movies, TV shows, or commercials. Remnants of placer washings and water supply ditches harking back to its bonanza days can still be seen on the property.

The original Golden Oak Ranch consisted of 315 acres. Disney enlarged it by buying 393 additional acres from private owners and two oil companies. This was necessary to insure unhin-

dered views in every direction, so that pictures set in bygone periods would not show condominiums, television antennas, cars, or other evidence of contemporary life in the backgrounds.

Occasionally several production units work in various locations on the ranch at the same time, creating a curious time-warp effect. For instance, "Fall Guy" may be staging a high-speed auto chase in one area while extraterrestrials from "Twilight Zone" materialize in another. "Scarecrow and Mrs. King," "Back to the Future," "Dynasty," and "Amazing Stories," are among recent shows that have filmed there.

A number of permanent sets have been built at Golden Oak, including a million-dollar replica of Henning, Tennessee, which was aged for "Roots II" to show the town's changes from 1882 to the present. There's a covered bridge which has been used in dozens of films, and some early American barns and farmhouses built for the "Daniel Boone" and "Swamp Fox" TV series. During the 1960s, eight buffaloes roamed the ranch, adding to its rugged, frontier look. Walt finally gave the shaggy herd to the William S. Hart State Park in nearby Newhall, a repository for Western Americana.

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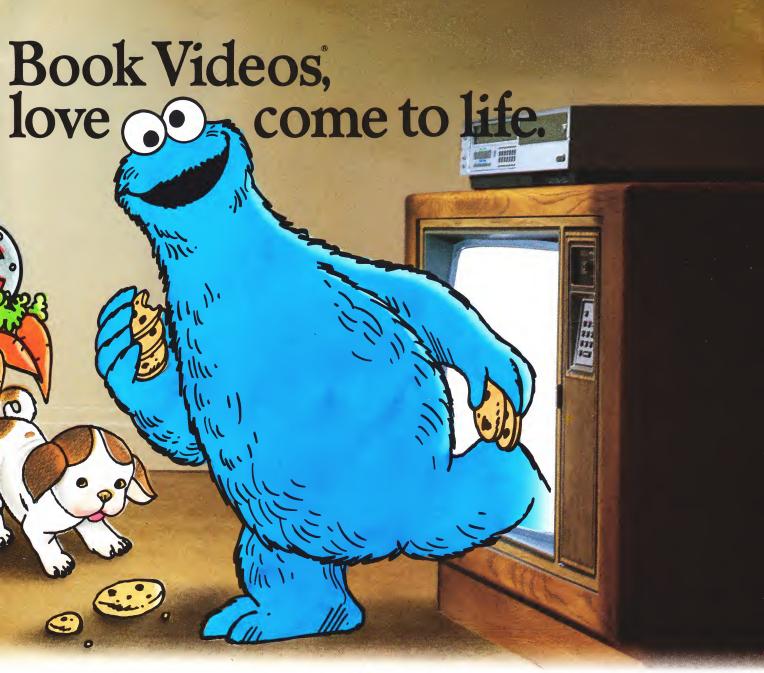
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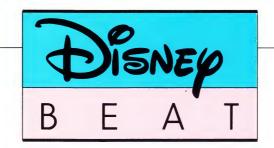
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hari Lewis fans can really celebrate. Shari's first home video cassette, "One-Minute Bedtime Stories" (based on her best-selling children's books), has just been released by WorldVision. Her latest juvenile, "One-Minute Favorite Fairy Tales," is out, published by Doubleday. And this month Shari tours 11 cities from Vancouver to Atlanta, conducting and performing with symphony orchestras. High point of the holiday season comes on December 7th, when Shari rides as Grand Marshal of the Santa Ana (Calif.) Christmas Parade accompanied by a 65-foot Lambchop puppet balloon.

You can enjoy Shari and her puppets

in "Shari Lewis Christmas Concert" on The Disney Channel this month (see page 14).

umbo, who presides over "Dumbo's Circus" on The Disney Channel, proved he has a heart as big as his ears when he presented a check for \$500.00 to officials of the Los Angeles Zoo recently.

The contribution goes to the Zoo's Wildlife Saver program, which helps protect endangered species from extinction. Geeta, a 28-year-old resident Asian elephant, was on hand to greet Dumbo.



Shari Lewis and her puppet Lambchop make personal appearances this month



Employing the classic elephantine clasp of trunk to tail, Dumbo follows Geeta into her quarters at the Los Angeles Zoo for a special news event

Anthony Daniels, the English actor best known to American audiences for his portrayal of C-3PO in "Star Wars" and its two sequels, guests as a stage director in the "Star-Crossed Lovers" segment of "The Edison Twins" this month (see page 24).

Over the eight years since he first played the golden robot, Daniels has appeared as C-3PO in numerous television and radio shows and a wide variety of public events. He also does the humanoid's voice in the TV cartoon series, "Droids."

"I pitch my voice somewhat higher for C-3PO," Daniels said. "This has led to a small and completely unprofitable sideline for me. Friends have me do



Sharon Baird sheds her Mouseketeer image to play a ratlike character

the recording on their telephone answering machines in C-3PO's voice. Occasionally, when I ring them up, I find myself talking to myself. Very unsettling."

hurricane more violent than the one that sweeps through "Treasure of Matecumbe" on The Disney Channel this month recently threatened the home of author Robert Lewis Taylor in Newtown, Connecticut. Taylor, who wrote the book on which the film is based, prudently left town for a couple of days before Hurricane Gloria roared in. The Pulitzer Prize winner is completing his fifteenth

book, "Tahiti," a reminiscence of the remarkable year he spent there in 1936.

haron Baird, one of Walt Disney's original Mouseketeers, has traded her Mouse ears for a rat's. Sharon is completing a key role in "Ratboy," a screen thriller starring and directed by Sondra Locke for Warner Bros.

Sharon plays a halfhuman character with a rat's head. Her features are concealed behind a beady-eyed, bewhiskered rat face, which takes makeup artists five hours to apply.

The ex-Mouseketeer, however, is comfortable

in such roles. She performs on The Disney Channel as Lionel, the sideshow barker lion, in "Dumbo's Circus," and as a co-creator of Eeyore, the puppetronic donkey, in "Welcome to Pooh Corner."

oddy McDowall, who grabs his share of laughs in "That Darn Cat" on the Channel this month, accepted an American Cinema Foundation Award for distinguished achievement in film on November 22. The event, in the form of an all-star salute to McDowall and Deborah Kerr, was hosted by Elizabeth Taylor, Robert Mitchum and Robert Wagner. The foundation's goal is to establish a film library in Palm Springs, California. ♥

BRUCE BOXLEITNER

STILL A SUPER-HERO

hen Bruce Boxleitner donned a
metal helmet and
skin-tight suit to become Tron (see page
22), his co-star Cindy
Morgan took one glance
at his costume and quipped that he resembled "the hood ornament on a
Rolls-Royce." The legendary flying lady
that graces the hood of a Rolls is sterling silver, and since TRON, Boxleitner's life and career have also been
of sterling quality.

Boxleitner is starring in his third season as Lee Stetson, the Scarecrow of CBS's hit series "Scarecrow and Mrs. King." While critics have given both Boxleitner and Kate Jackson high marks for their comedic banter

onscreen, TV audiences this month get to see Boxleitner in a new light when he appears in "Passion Flower," a TV movie made for CBS. Boxleitner stars as Larry Janson, an expatriate banker living in Singapore whose involvement with a beautiful married woman leads to passion, intrigue - and murder. "Passion Flower" has been described by one CBS spokesman as "presenting a brand new image of Bruce as a romantic leading man."

It's not hard to see why Boxleitner says, "Television has been particularly good to me." He adds, "TV makes stars of actors so much quicker than films. You can immediately reach a vast audience, who have only to switch on their sets"

Life has been particularly full for Boxleitner this past year, and not just because of his professional success. Boxleitner's wife Kathryn, whom he met on the set

of ABC's "How the West Was Won" series, was expecting the couple's second child in early November.

Times weren't always so bright for the handsome actor following TRON, however. At one point Boxleitner feared that his career might have short-circuited. The cause of that anxiety was "Bring 'Em Back Alive," a shortlived series in which Boxleitner played big-game hunter Frank Buck.

"I was really blue," he says, recalling the moment he learned the show had been canceled. "I kinda felt, 'Well, you'll never see me again.' I cheered up when someone pointed out all the big stars who had shows canceled in the past... like Clint Eastwood and Burt Reynolds. You just keep going. The substance of success is to keep ahead of the game." Boxleitner had been out of work "for three or four weeks" when the script of "Scarecrow and Mrs. King" arrived in the mail. The storyline concerned a secret U.S. agent who ends up being partnered with an amateur, a Washington, D.C. housewife. Excited about the series, but nervous about his prospects, Boxleitner attended a meeting with network executives and Kate Jackson, who was not only the female star but a co-owner of the series.

"I came right out and told them I was a hero type," he explains. "Of course I had to read for the part. Some actors are asked whether they'd like to do a project, which is a luxury. I had to read, because everything depended on the chemistry between Kate and me.

"I had never met Kate Jackson be-

fore. She's tough in the sense that she's very professional. We got on immediately."

Boxleitner's also noted for his involvement with charitable organizations. This year the actor served as chairman of the American Humane Society as well as being selected celebrity chairman of Operation Children, a group dedicated to caring for orphans and abused youngsters.

Given his deep love of family—a love that was recognized and honored in 1984 when Boxleitner received the Television Father of the Year award—it's not surprising that Boxleitner prefers to head for his ranch on the outskirts of Los Angeles after a day's shooting.

"I don't like the fast lane life of Hollywood," he says matter-of-factly. "Living where I do means I can leave it all behind at the end of the day."

Bruce Boxleitner has a sterling new TV image



PREMIERE! Enchanted Musical Playhouse

THE VELVETEEN RABBIT

Exclusive special starring
Marie Osmond

This is the first in a series of musical specials adapted from classic children's literature for The Disney Channel. Original tunes by the Sherman brothers (Richard M. and Robert B.) and Marie Osmond as the Velveteen Rabbit (she plays the magic Fairy, too) make this a special show for you and your youngsters to share.

The Velveteen Rabbit begins life at the top of a little boy's Christmas stocking and quickly becomes his favorite toy in the nursery. Later, the rabbit is frighteningly abandoned, but a most glorious moment is yet to come.

December 2, 5, 12, 21, 25, 29

THE SMALL ONE

MAKELIK

Exclusive animated movie

A timeless animated tale for Christmas, "The Small One" is the story of an aging, floppy-eared donkey beloved only by his young master, a peasant boy of Nazareth. When the boy's father decides Small One is no longer useful, he sends the lad to the marketplace to sell his pet.

But in the marketplace a curious thing occurs: of the crowd encountered, not one recognizes Small One's worth, or possesses the gentleness the boy seeks in Small One's new master. All, that is, save one—a gentle soul named Joseph who comes seeking a mount for his wife to ride to Bethlehem.

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Selebrate Sthe Deason

Enjoy the warmth of the holidays with these Disney Channel movies, specials and series.

Be sure to watch your favorite daily series for sparkling surprises on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.





A trio of holiday treats are coming your way with "Babes in Toyland," starring Tommy Sands and Annette; "Shari Lewis Christmas Concert," with Shari and Lambchop (above) and "The Velveteen Rabbit," starring Marie Osmond



BABES IN TOYLAND

Exclusive movie starring Annette Funicello, Ed Wynn, Ray Bolger, Tommy Sands

Walt Disney's version of Victor Herbert's classic operetta sparkles with holiday gaiety. While the residents of Mother Goose village prepare for the wedding of Mary Contrary (Annette Funicello) and Tom Piper (Tommy Sands), villainous Barnaby makes other plans. His schemes take the young lovers and their friends all the way to Toyland for the happiest of ever afters.

December 1, 5, 9, 11, 14, 17, 20, 24, 27, 29

SHARI LEWIS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

WELL

Exclusive special starring Shari Lewis

Shari Lewis premieres on The Disney Channel in a musical salute to Santa Claus. The versatile entertainer conducts the National Arts Centre Orchestra, performs as a ventriloquist, and sings and dances in novelty numbers.

December 12, 15, 19, 21, 25, 29



THE WONDERFUL WORLD OF DISNEY

Exclusive series

"Christmas at Walt Disney World," and "Holiday Time at Disneyland" are seasonal specials of this popular series, which also includes introductions by Walt, nature stories, and behind-the-scenes at Disney.

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.

IT'S A WONDERFUL.

Movie starring James Stewart, Donna Reed, Henry Travers

Jimmy Stewart is the smalltown banker driven to despair—and contemplating suicide—when his business promises to collapse at Christmas in Frank Capra's masterpiece "It's a Wonderful Life." But as the winter snow gently falls, an angel descends to reveal to the banker what life would have been like in his town had he never lived.

Two-time Oscar winner Frank Capra has always declared that "It's a Wonderful Life" is his favorite film. It revels in the hallmarks of the Capra style: a wistful warmheartedness, a love of the "little guy," and an abiding faith in the virtues and values that underlie the American way of life.

December 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 25 MELLE WAR

PREMIERE! A MAGIC KINGDOM YULETID SPECIAL

Exclusive

Join Mickey, Minnie, and a host of singers and dancers from the Magic Kingdom as they revel in a special winter wonderland. Highlights include 27 Christmas carols, a wild ride in a six-horse open sleigh, and Mickey and Minnie's own skating pond.

Adapted from the Christmas program at Disneyland, this live-action half hour of song and dance captures the Yuletide spirit as Mickey, Minnie - and a Santa that looks suspiciously like Goofy - try to convert Scrooge McDuck into Father Christmas himself.

December 19, 23, 25, 28, 31









The spirit of Christmas is embodied in these scenes from (clockwise, top) "Mickey's Christ-mas Carol," "Holiday Time at Disneyland, "Magic Kingdom Yuletide Special,""The Small One" and "It's a Wonderful Life'



A DISNEY CHANNEL

Animated special

Jiminy Cricket hosts an animated potpourri that's as colorful as a Christmas card. Mickey and the gang deliver their season's greetings in cartoon classics such as "Santa's Workshop," and "The Night Before Christmas." Aided by an appearance from Tinker Bell, Jiminy closes with his heartfelt rendition of "When You Wish Upon a Star."

December 7, 12, 15, 19, 21, 23, 25, 31

MICKEY'S CHRISTMAS

Animated special

This animated holiday treat gives Charles Dickens' treasured Christmas story a new

and jolly twist.

Mickey's the poor but plucky Bob Cratchit. Scrooge McDuck shines as the old moneybags whose heart is turned from stone to gold by visits from Marley (Goofy) and the Spirits of Christmases Past, Present and Future.

December 2, 8, 12, 22,





PREMIERE! GEORGE

Exclusive animated special Music by Paul Anka

In this magical medley of animation and music, George decides a paper star to top his Christmas tree just won't do. As he searches the sky, George's eyes alight on one bright point in the dark night. He builds a makeshift spaceship and blasts off in pursuit of a special Christmas star.

December 13, 18, 23, 25





THAT DARN CAT

Exclusive movie starring Hayley Mills, Dean Jones

Hayley Mills stars as Patti Randall, the young co-mistress of a devilish Siamese called "Darn Cat." When he tries a little "cat burglary" in the hideout of a pair of bank robbers, Darn Cat snags himself a clue to the crime.

Patti convinces the F.B.I. that Darn Cat has the only clue to the mystery—but he's not talking! Deke Kelso (Dean Jones), a desperate F.B.I. agent, is forced to undertake a frantic tail of D.C. as the wily cat leads one and all on a back-alley chase.

December 8, 12, 14, 17, 21, 23, 26, 29, 31

LOVE LEADS THE WAY

Exclusive movie starring
Timothy Bottoms,
Eva Marie Saint,
Ralph Bellamy,
Ernest Borgnine,
Patricia Neal

Produced exclusively for The Disney Channel, this picture is that rare combination: a moving, true story, an all-star cast, and an Oscarwinning director — Delbert Mann.

Morris Frank, a Nashville athlete in the 1920s, is blinded by an accidental knockout during a practice boxing match. His struggle for a normal life and for acceptance of his Seeing Eye dog—the first in this country — offers inspiration.

December 15, 19, 21, 25, 27, 30 (CLOSED CAPTIONED)



Timothy Bottoms as Morris Frank, blind owner of the first Seeing Eye dog in U.S.

Popeye and Olive Oyl cradle a foundling named Swee'pea

POPEYE

Movie starring Robin Williams, Shelley Duvall

"I yam what I yam," declares Robin Williams as Popeye the sailor man in Robert Altman's off-beat musical.

Blown into the port of Sweethaven, the old salt is searching for his long-lost father. But Popeye steers a zany course in his odyssey as he woos Olive Oyl (Shelley Duvall) and battles the bully Bluto

December 8, 11, 14, 16, 19, 21, 27, 29, 31

THE CHANNEL'S CHOICE

Two movies stand out this month as being worthy of your special attention.

PRIME TIME PROGRAMS WITH ADULT APPEAL

"Love Leads the Way"

Morris Frank was a brave, dauntless man who fought to make society sympathetic to the special needs of the blind. His story is unforgettably told in this made-for-The Disney Channel movie.

PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN

"George and the Star"

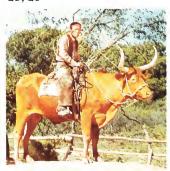
Youngsters will enjoy this animated Christmas fantasy about George, an average fellow who reaches for a star, has an exciting time catching it, and learns that friendship is everlasting.

SANCHO, THE HOMING STEER

Movie narrated by Rex Allen

Sancho is forced to steer a course for Texas — and ends up homing in on a series of wild adventures — after a run-in with some not-so-friendly Indians in this warm tale narrated by country singer Rex Allen.

December 2, 4, 8, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29



Sancho heads for adventure

GREAT EXPECTATIONS

Movie starring John Mills, Alec Guinness

Pip (John Mills), a poor orphan, rises in society—thanks to the aid of a mysterious benefactor—but his greatest problems are just beginning in this brilliant adaptation of Dickens' novel. Three-time Oscar winner David Lean directs a stellar cast of England's finest actors.

December 5, 11, 16, 21, 26, 30

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Flynn & Yori meet in a fearsome electronic ComputerWorld

TRON

Exclusive movie starring Jeff Bridges, David Warner, Bruce Boxleitner, Cindy Morgan, Barnard Hughes

Convinced his programs have been stolen, Flynn (Jeff Bridges) breaks into the computer system of ENCOM, his former employer. But his search is interrupted by a runaway security system called the Master Control Program.

The evil MCP blasts Flynn with a laser, and when he awakens, Flynn discovers himself in the "electronic dimension." There, with the aid of Tron (Bruce Boxleitner), the electronic alter-ego of a friend and fellow programmer, Flynn must battle the powerful creations of the Master Control Program.

December 7, 9, 11, 16, 18, 22, 24, 28, 31

A KID FOR TWO **FARTHINGS**

Movie starring Celia Johnson, Diana Dors

Every family member will love this charming tale, set in post-war London, about a boy, Joe, who buys a kid (goat), thinking it's a wish-fulfilling unicorn.

Joe, who lives and works with his mother in a tailor's shop, is full of wishes for his family and friends. He sets to work to make them come true, but when his "unicorn" becomes sick, his dreams are fulfilled in unexpected ways.

December 2, 10, 14, 18, 22, 27, 31

AN INVITATION TO A WEDDING



A bishop gums up a wedding

Movie starring Ralph Richardson

The Braunceston's family fortune is threatened when a bumbling bishop, their Uncle Willy (Ralph Richardson), and his TV evangelist buddy Rev. Clyde Ormiston (John Gielgud) foul up a wedding.

December 9, 13, 17, 23, 29

Exclusive movie starring Rony Zeander, Carin Rossby

It's not surprising that your "play it again" choice is this Disney version of the classic book. It's a thrilling story of Hans's fight to win the annual skating contest. The lure is not the prize of silver skates. Instead, he wants the award of 500 guilders to obtain medical help for his ailing father. December 16, 19, 22, 25,

GOLDEN PENNIES

Exclusive series starring Bryan Marshall, Carol Drinkwater



The Greenwoods find their tent vandalized by bushrangers

The trials and triumphs of the Greenwood family continue in the concluding episodes of this Australian mini-series.

Seeking their fortune on the goldfields, the family is beset by problems in the third episode when a mine collapses, illness strikes, and bushrangers kidnap the children. But in episode four the Greenwoods stage a surprising comeback with the help of their many remarkable new friends.

Episode #3 December 4, 6, 8, 12, 14, 16 Episode #4 December 18, 20, 22, 26, 28, 30

A MINOR MIRACLE

Movie starring John Huston, Pelé, Peter Fox

A young priest (Peter Fox) clashes with Father "Bud" Cadenas (John Huston) over the survival of an inner-city orphanage. But Father Cadenas hopes a fund-raising soccer match—and a guest appearance by soccer star Pelé can save the day.

December 6, 10, 15, 18, 20,



Pelé, a legendary soccer star, aids a needy orphanage

DECEMBER, 1985

28, 30



THE DR. JOYCE BROTHERS PROGRAM



Vicki Lawrence & Dr. Joyce Brothers talk about children

Exclusive series

Celebrity guests to appear this month are Mr. and Mrs. Anson Williams, Jerry Mathers, Vicki Lawrence, Lynn Redgrave and her husband, plus Marla Gibbs. They will discuss such thorny subjects as how a night person and a day person can get along; the problems and joys of in-laws; what kind of vacation to take and who to bring along.

Four episodes monthly. Check listings for time.

DANGER BAY

Exclusive series starring Donnelly Rhodes, Deborah Wakeman, Ocean Hellman, Chris Crabb



Friends laud Jonah (Chris Crabb) for winning tennis tourney

Tides of adventure continue to eddy around "Doc" Roberts (Donnelly Rhodes) and his family in this exclusive Disney Channel series. This month Nicole and Jonah Roberts (Ocean Hellman and Chris Crabb) confront two powerful human dramas. First Jonah, "The Contender" in a major junior tennis championship, must face priorities when he's forced to choose between a critical experiment at the aquarium and his athletic prowess. Then Nicole and Bjossa, the aquarium's killer whale, struggle to befriend a mute girl in "Katie and the Whale."

"The Contender" December 9, 11, 15, 20

"Katie and The Whale" December 23, 26, 29

THE ADVENTURES OF OZZIE AND HARRIET

Exclusive series starring Ozzie Nelson, Harriet Nelson
TV's all-time favorite family—the Nelsons—survive the
calamities of their everyday life.

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.

Buddy Ebsen & Fess Parker

DISNEY FAMILY ALBUM

Exclusive series

Fess Parker (Davy Crockett) and Buddy Ebsen (George Russel) reminisce about days on the Crockett set and the re-creation of a legend.

December 2, 4, 7, 11, 13, 16, 22

BEST PICTURE AWARD, U.S. FILM FESTIVAL

SPIRIT OF THE WIND

Movie starring Pius Savage, George Clutesi, Slim Pickens, Chief Dan George

A true story of an Alaskan Indian, crippled by tuberculosis and alienated from his family's life in the Arctic wilderness, who strives to overcome both handicaps by becoming a dog-sledding champion.

December 1, 3, 7, 10, 12, 14, 20, 24, 26, 30



Sled dogs led by George Atla (Pius Savage) rest during run

TREASURE OF MATECUMBE

Exclusive movie starring Robert Foxworth, Joan Hackett, Peter Ustinov

Here is the rousing adventure tale of five colorful companions on a wildly funny, often hair-raising treasure hunt from Kentucky to the Florida Keys in 1869.

Robert Foxworth plays a footloose Kentuckian, Joan Hackett a runaway fiancee, Peter Ustinov a quack doctor, and Johnny Doran, 13, and Billy Attmore, 10, a couple of kids with a thirst for excitement. The movie is based on Robert Lewis Taylor's historical novel, "A Journey to Matecumbe." **December 2, 4, 7, 13, 16,**

20, 22, 24, 28

THE GREAT DICTATOR

Exclusive movie starring Charles Chaplin, Jack Oakie
Nominated for five Academy Awards in 1940, the film is a
satire of Fascism, in which uproarious happenings result
from a ghetto barber being mistaken for Hynkel, The Great
Dictator—both played by Chaplin, of course.

December 2, 5, 9, 15, 26, 28

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Kip learns the hard way that working has its difficulties

STILL THE BEAVER

Exclusive series

Economics turns the younger members of the Cleaver clan topsy-turvy. First Kip (Kipp Marcus) realizes "Punchin' In" at the local gas station might not be the road to riches. Then Kelly (Kaleena Kiff) discovers "Supply and Demand" applies to dolls, too! "Punchin' In"

December 4, 6, 9, 10, 13, 15
"Supply and Demand"
December 18, 19, 23,

27, 29, 30



ALADDIN AND THE MAGIC LAMP

Animated Movie

Rich animation and delightful character voice portrayals by Kristy McNichol, June Lockhart and John Carradine enhance this enchanting version of a well-known Arabian Nights tale.

December 1, 6, 18, 22, 28

THE RACCOONS

Exclusive animated series

There's a chest full of surprises for everyone when The Raccoons discover "Buried Treasure"—the most recent episode of this Disney Channel exclusive animated series.

December 1, 5, 11, 21, 27



THE EDISON TWINS

Series starring Andrew Sabiston, Marnie McPhail, Sunny Besen-Thrasher

Fossil hunting makes for high adventure for the twins in "All That Glitters," December 7. In "Star-Crossed Lovers," December 21, love is won, believe it or not, by laser sound.

"All That Glitters" December 7, 9, 12, 15, 18
"Star Crossed Lovers" December 21, 22, 27, 29

PREMIERE!



DISNEY CHANNEL PREVIEW

Exclusive special

A sneak peek into the future on The Disney Channel. Stay up-to-date on the entertainment headed your way in the next few weeks, and meet the people who make it happen—the actors, directors, producers and crews. December 22, 23, 27, 28, 30, 31

DISNEY'S LEGENDS & HEROES

Exclusive series

Gunslingers and desperadoes beware! Heroes of the Wild West stand tall in the saddle this month! Robert Loggia returns as "Elfego Baca" and Tom Tryon is "Texas John Slaughter." Each week one of their adventures crosses trails with "Zorro."

Elfego Baca: "Attorney at Law"/Zorro

December 6, 8, 10 Elfego Baca: "The Griswold Murder"/Zorro December 13, 15, 17 Texas John Slaughter: "The Man from Bitter Creek"/Zorro

December 20, 22 Texas John Slaughter:"The Slaughter Trial"/Zorro December 27, 29

WILDERNESS BOUND ...from Survival Anglia

Exclusive Series

A team of naturalists trek to Hudson Bay following the annual migration of the snow geese. But can these scientists survive being adopted as parents by a group of orphaned goslings—especially when the goslings have to clear U.S. Customs?

December 1, 2, 5, 9, 11, 14, 18

HUCKLEBERRY FINN & HIS FRIENDS

Exclusive series starring Ian Tracey



Buck and Huck discuss the futility of family feuding

Life on the Mississippi takes a dark turn as Huck, fearing Jim dead, discusses "The Thing About Feudin'" with his new friend Buck Grangerford. But the "End of a Feud" between the Grangerfords and the Sheperdsons promises to explode in violence.

"The Thing About Feudin'"
December 14, 17, 22
"End of a Feud"
December 28

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Monthly Magic



DONALD DUCK PRESENTS

Donald's seasonally high spirits are as infectious as the cartoons he offers — "Rudolph, the Red-Nosed Reindeer," "Snow Foolin'," plus many more.

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



YOU AND ME, KID

Check listings for time.

Sonny Melendrez does a little baking and music making in special segments "Decorating Cookies" and "Songs at the Piano." Enjoy these and other activities each morning. **Different shows daily.**



MOUSETERPIECE THEATER

George Plimpton adds his own brand of humor to introductions of such Disney cartoon classics as "No Hunting," "Pueblo Pluto," and "Dude Duck."

Showing throughout the week.



NEW! ANIMAL WORLD

"Elephants of the Sea" on Guadalupe Island and "Land of the Reindeer" are among this month's animal habitats studied in detail by Bill Burrud and his film crew.

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



GOOD MORNING, MICKEY!

Mickey the merry Mouse and his crew provide wintery cheer in such coldweather favorites as "Donald's Snow Fight" and "The Art of Skiing."

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



MOUSERCISE

Pace-setting Kellyn keeps all Mousercisers feeling great and up-to-date on health and safety with special segments on obeying "Rules" and getting "Essential Nutrients."

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



THE MICKEY MOUSE CLUB

The original Mouseketeers present "Adventure in Dairyland," in which Annette Funicello and Sammy Ogg end up running a Wisconsin

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



DTV

All-time favorites like "Yakety Yak," by The Coasters, and "Save the Last Dance For Me" by the Drifters become video experiences with a Disney difference!

Showing throughout the week.



HOPALONG CASSIDY

In "Silent Conflict," some ranchers think Hopalong has made off with their \$25,000. Hoppy figures out who the real thief is, but is his discovery too late?

December 8, 14, 19, 23



WELCOME TO POOH CORNER

Pooh and his forest friends are beloved by parents and children alike, and never more than in "Christmas at Pooh Corner" and "Christmas Is for Sharing."

Different shows daily. Check listings for time.



DUMBO'S CIRCUS

Dumbo the flying elephant and his puppetronic friends sing, dance, and joke their way through stories about life in a traveling circus.

Different shows daily. Check listings for time. These movies will also be shown this month:

THE BLUE YONDER, a boy travels back in time. December 3, 5, 7, 15

BREAKING THE SOUND BARRIER, the late Ralph Richardson plays an airman.

December 3, 6, 8

THOSE CALLOWAYS, a high-stakes fight to save a marsh.

December 1, 3, 6

THE BISHOP'S WIFE,

a special Christmas Day offering.

December 25

Get Involved...



We're All Ears



Linda Palmer Subscriber Services Director

Dear Friends,

It is with mingled joy and sadness that I write this, my farewell letter. You see, by the time you read this, I'll have moved to another position with Walt Disney Productions.

Anne Alexander will be taking my place, so please direct all your correspondence to her. She's really eager to hear from you.

We have gathered a dazzling assortment of holiday programs to celebrate the season. I'm sure you'll welcome Frank Capra's always enjoyable "It's a Wonderful Life." "Babes in Toyland" is another favorite.

I'm looking forward to sharing "The Velveteen Rabbit," the opening show in our new "Enchanted Musical Playhouse" series, with my two young daughters. It's perfect entertainment for the grade-school set. And as Christmas Day approaches, we'll be watching "A Disney Channel Christmas" and the spectacular "Magic Kingdom Yuletide Special." Hope you'll be watching, too.

May you have the happiest of Holiday Seasons.



THAT MAGICAL MISS MILLS

I really enjoyed Hayley Mills in "Summer Magic"—in fact, I saw it seven times! I enjoy all Hayley Mills movies. Could you please have many more Hayley Mills movies on The Disney Joey Martin Channel? Montgomery, AL

Then we're sure you enjoyed August's offering of "Pollyanna." And of course this month we're featuring "That Darn Cat," which stars Hayley Mills and Dean Jones.

ENCORE FOR FIVE MILE CREEK!?

Please, please rerun all of the "Five Mile Creek" episodes for those of us who have not had The Disney Channel long. It is one of my favorite programs, and I'd like to see the episodes I've missed.

Jeanne Lynn Boaz, KY

"Five Mile Creek" will return at a later date on The Disney Channel. Until then, may we suggest "Golden Pennies," another saga of the settling of Australia's wild frontier that's in the same vein as "Five Mile Creek"?

CHANNELING INSPIRATION

Our Newchannels Cable Company of Syracuse, New York, only recently allowed us to add The Disney Channel to our home TV viewing. There just aren't words to express how we all feel about that—we are proud and pleased to be family members of The Disney Channel. It's excellent, and my children, ages 12, 10, and 8, all adore it.

By the way, our 12-year-old has cerebral palsy and The Disney Channel has helped her more with learning and exploring than anything else on TV. We wish to thank you for the best-loved times of our lives.

Mrs. Georgia Robinson Bridgeport, NY

My great-niece Wendy Hobbs is three years old and was born with a joint disorder. Physically she is totally dependent on others. Mentally she definitely stands alone.

Wendy wakes up each morning to "Mousercise," doing the exercises with more determination and enthusiasm than most physically fit adults. I thought you would like to know about the positive way your "Mousercise" is being utilized by one little girl in her efforts to become physically sound.

Joyce Bryant Wakarusa, IN



ANIMALS ON PARADE

I would like to know if any of the old "Wonderful World of Disney" animal programs will be shown on The Disney Channel.

Donald Davis Kerrville, TX

We've shown quite a selection of animal adventures from "The Wonderful World of Disney." "Chico, The Misunderstood Coyote" and "Pancho, The Fastest Paw in the West" have recently been shown.



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Exploring the Archives



Dave Smith established the Walt Disney Archives in 1970. Its collections are as varied as the activities of Walt Disney Productions.

When the 25th anniversary of the "Mickey Mouse Club" was celebrated in 1980, Disney was looking for some missing Mouseketeers. Were they ever found?

-M.L., Carrollton, TX

The story that Disney was searching for four missing Mouseketeers was picked up by the wire services and the publicity went nationwide. Amazingly, within 24 hours all four Mouseketeers were found, two of them (Larry Larsen and Don Underhill) near Disneyland in Irvine, Calif. Charley Laney was located

in San Diego and Ronnie Steiner in Winnipeg. The four former child actors all made it to the reunion.

Are there any plans to celebrate Walt Disney's birthday on December 5th?

-R.B., Cheyenne, WY

To pay tribute to Walt Disney and Disneyland, the city of Anaheim is planning to release one million helium-filled balloons on December 5th, the day Walt was born in 1901. "Skyfest" will set a new Guinness record, using 7,500 pounds of helium—enough to lift 190 people.

DISNEY CHANNEL TRIVIA

Ian Tracey, who has been playing Huckleberry Finn on The Disney Channel, had a small role in Walt Disney Pictures' recent film, "The Journey of Natty Gann."

Segments from "Mickey's Orphans," Disney's first cartoon with a Christmas theme, turn up on "A Disney Channel Christmas" (see page 15). Compare the quality of animation in that 1931 cartoon with "Mickey's Christmas Carol" (see page 15), made over 50 years later. ... Ann Jillian was only a child actress when she played Bo Peep in "Babes in Toyland" (see page 14). Now she is a well-known TV and musical-comedy star, and has just recorded an album of 12 songs written by Steve Allen.

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...Arthur Hill, who stars as the father of blind Morris Frank in "Love Leads the Way" (see page 16), acted in a similar story in an early Disney television show. In "Atta Girl, Kelly" (1967), Hill portrayed a blind attorney learning to work with a guide dog.

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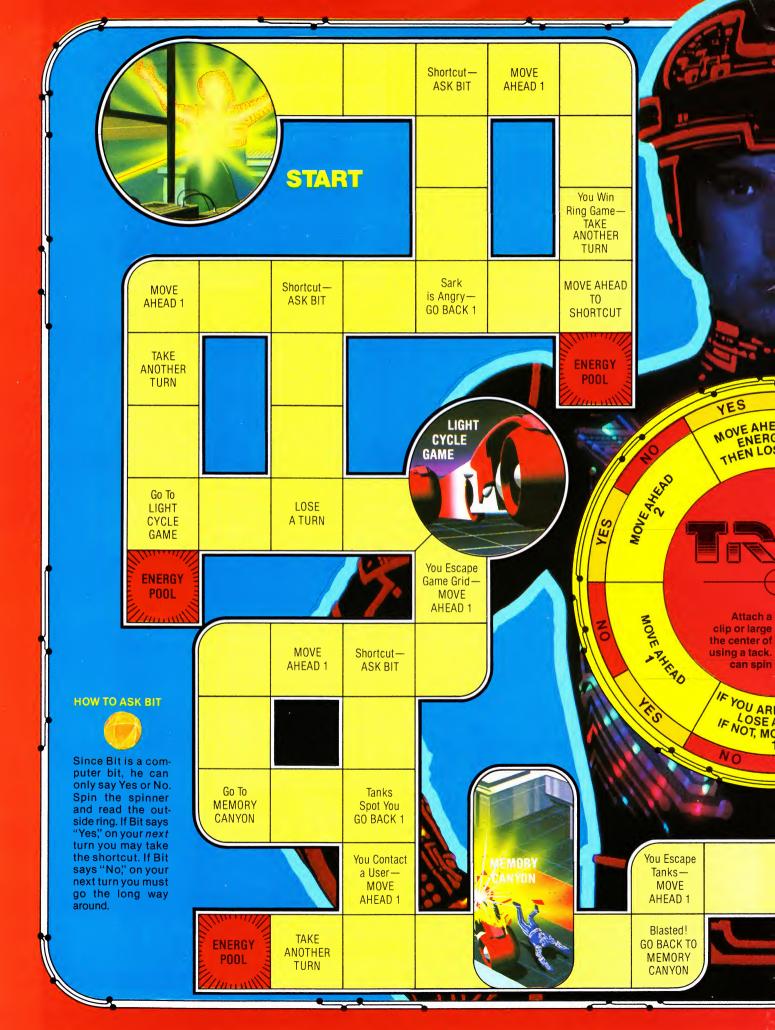
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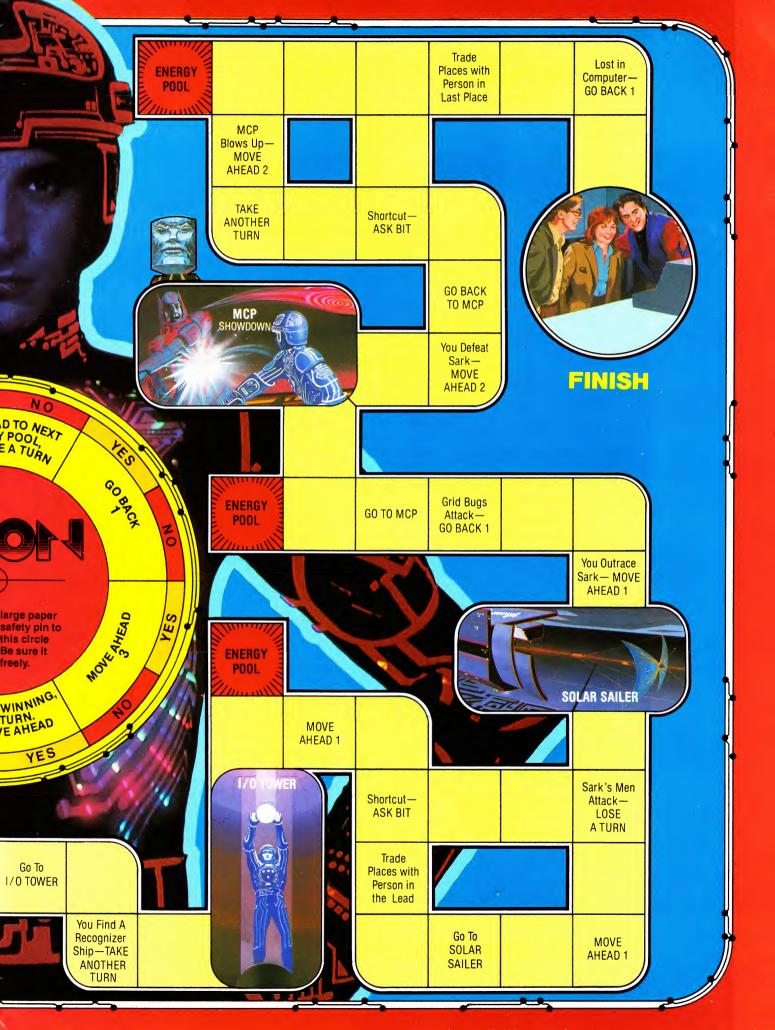
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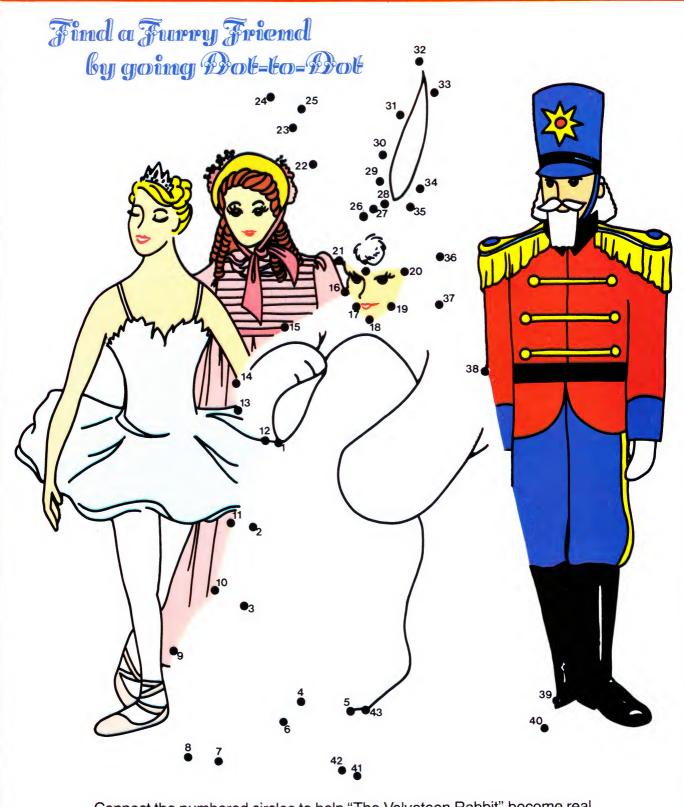
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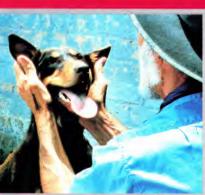
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